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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed May 9, 2008, Applicants elect with traverse Group I, claims 1-5 and 9-14. Applicants traverse the restriction requirement because the Examiner has not demonstrated undue burden in examining the process claims of group III along with the claims of group I.

If the filing of this paper is deemed not timely, applicants petition for an appropriate extension of time. The petition fee, and any other fees that may be required in relation to this paper, can be charged to Deposit Account 11-0600.

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